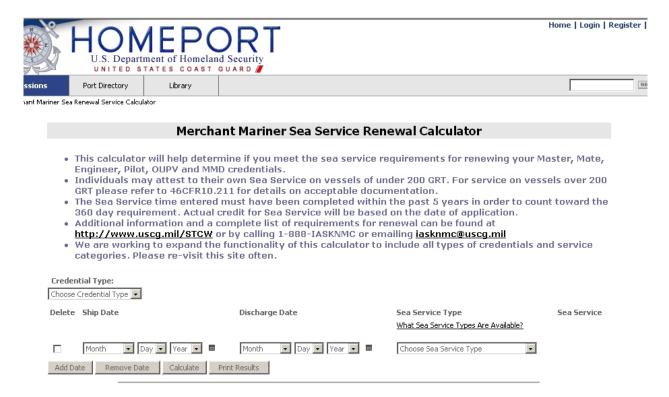
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## Merchant Mariner Sea Service Renewal Calculator Available on http://homeport.uscg.mil

On *May 29, 2008*, the United States Coast Guard's National Maritime Center (NMC) will launch a sea service renewal calculator via the publicly accessible *Homeport* internet website. This web-based tool will provide mariners the ability to calculate their sea service time for license and merchant mariner document renewal transactions.



To access the renewal sea service calculator, visit <a href="http://homeport.uscg.mil">http://homeport.uscg.mil</a>. From the Missions tab, click "Merchant Mariners", then the "Sea Service Renewal Calculator" link.

The NMC is working to expand this functionality to include calculations for most original and grade-raise license and merchant mariner document transactions. For questions or comments, please contact the NMC at the above telephone number or e-mail address.

**DISCLAIMER**: This tool is not an official evaluation of a Mariner's Sea Service. Actual credit for Sea Service will be based on the date of application.

All information is subject to verification. Please ensure you submit appropriate proof of ownership if utilizing self verification or applicable documentary evidence depicting the amount and nature of the sea service signed by appropriate officials or licensed masters.